

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 25 Feb 2023 until 23:59 on Sunday 26 Feb 2023

Forecast Issued on Saturday 25 Feb 2023 at 03:41

Confidence: High confidence for largely settled conditions through the forecast period with high pressure over Wales. Medium confidence for cloud amounts for each day.

Headline for Saturday 25 Feb 2023: Mostly dry and cloudy, with a significant chill effect.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 25 Feb 2023

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

Medium Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

No Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
00%	<05%	00%	<05%	10%	<05%

Forecast for Saturday 25 Feb 2023

Weather: A bright start to the day with early sunshine but then quickly clouding over from the east. A few bright spells may occur this afternoon, but cloud may thicken at times and a light wintry shower is not out of the question over eastern mountains. Dry this evening with some clear spells developing.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 95%.

Low cloud and visibility: Patchy low cloud possible around the highest summits at first, otherwise clear summits. Visibility will be very good this morning but may turn hazier later today. Visibility will dip for a short time in any showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	16/20 NE	18/22 NE	19/26 NE	18/25 NE	16/23 NE	16/23 NE	16/23 NE
300	7/15 NE	9/17 NE	13/24 NE	11/22 NE	9/19 NE	9/20 NE	7/18 NE
Valley	4/13 NE	7/15 NE	12/24 NE	10/21 NE	8/18 NE	8/19 NE	6/17 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-1/-7	-1/-7	1/-5	1/-5	1/-5	-0/-7	-1/-8
300	2/-1	2/-2	4/0	4/1	3/-0	2/-2	0/-3
Valley	2/0	3/0	5/1	5/2	4/1	3/-1	2/-2
Freezing Level*	400m	400m	400m	500m	500m	400m	300m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

Cold northerly winds will enhance the chill effect.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Sat 25 Feb 2023	0.8mm	1.4mm	6.4mm

Forecast for Sunday 26 Feb 2023

Weather: A dry night with patchy cloud and clear spells will lead into broken cloud and sunny intervals for the day, with a small probability of a light showers across eastern areas. Dry through the evening with clear spells.

Maximum wind: Northeasterly 20-25mph gusts 35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 95%.

Low cloud and visibility: Most summits remaining clear with good views. Visibility will dip for a short time in any showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 2 rising to 7 Celsius.
At 600m: Minus 1 rising to Plus 2 Celsius.
Freezing level: 300m rising to 800m.